

## House Resolution 107

By: Representatives Meadows of the 5<sup>th</sup> and Graves of the 12<sup>th</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Dylan Lee Coker; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, Dylan Lee Coker has attained the rank of Eagle Scout, the most distinguished  
3 rank conferred by the Boy Scouts of America; and

4 WHEREAS, a candidate for the most exceptional award in scouting must complete a  
5 rigorous program of training and demonstrate his proficiency in selected scouting techniques  
6 and attainment of the highest ideals of scouting, a program in which only one scout in 97  
7 ever reaches; and

8 WHEREAS, Dylan is a member of Troop 39 in Calhoun, Georgia, and is known in the  
9 community for his positive and uplifting attitude, always displaying a smile and a helping  
10 hand; and

11 WHEREAS, to qualify for the rank of Eagle Scout, Dylan built five nesting areas for the  
12 Killdeer bird on land designated and managed by the Wildlife Conservation Fund, a project  
13 requiring over 145 hours of volunteer work; and

14 WHEREAS, Dylan has proven himself to be an exceptional student while at Calhoun High  
15 School, earning all A's and B's and making his education a priority while holding down an  
16 after school job; and

17 WHEREAS, he has demonstrated a great deal of leadership, insight, initiative, and  
18 independence for a 16 year old; for example, he decided to begin attending church because  
19 he felt something was missing from his life, and there he has been instrumental in the  
20 creation of a Boy Scout Venturing Crew, on which he serves as Crew Guide; and

21 WHEREAS, despite having to take on many adult responsibilities at a young age, Dylan has  
22 always been resolved to achieve greatness and he demonstrates a work ethic to be admired;  
23 and

24 WHEREAS, Dylan listed on his Eagle Scout application that his main ambition in life was  
25 to be a good father, which to him means to be a leader, to have perseverance, to show  
26 unconditional love, and most of all have understanding; and

27 WHEREAS, the Eagle Scout Board of Review concluded their interview with Dylan in less  
28 than 15 minutes, unanimously recommending this remarkable young man for the ranking of  
29 Eagle Scout; and

30 WHEREAS, the perseverance and determination displayed by this outstanding young leader  
31 is an example for all Georgians, and great success is surely in this young man's future.

32 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
33 members of this body commend Dylan Lee Coker for his diligence and dedication in  
34 pursuing the highest honor awarded by the Boy Scouts of America and congratulate him on  
35 attaining the prestigious rank of Eagle Scout.

36 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
37 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Dylan Lee Coker.